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| 1. This communication is responsive to Amendment filed on March 22, 2004.   |  |                                 |            |
| 2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1,2,4,6,10-13,15-17,43,44 and 47.  |  |                                 |            |
| 3. The drawings filed on are accepted by the Examiner.  |  |                                 |            |
| 4. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority unallocations and all b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:  1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).  * Certified copies not received:  Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONN THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.  | been received.  been received in Application No cuments have been received in this r  of this communication to file a reply of this of this application. | national stage applica          | quirements |
| 5. A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.  |  |                                 |            |
| <ul> <li>6.  CORRECTED DRAWINGS ( as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.</li> <li>(a)  including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review ( PTO-948) attached</li> <li>1)  hereto or 2)  to Paper No./Mail Date</li> <li>(b)  including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date</li> <li>Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).</li> </ul> |  |                                 |            |
| 7. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.   |  |                                 |            |
| Attachment(s)  1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)  2. Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)  3. Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/O Paper No./Mail Date  4. Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material  | 5. Notice of Informal P 6. Interview Summary Paper No./Mail Dat 7. Examiner's Amendn 8. Examiner's Stateme 9. Other                                      | (PTO-413),<br>e<br>nent/Comment | ,          |
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## **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

An extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is required in order to make an examiner's amendment which places this application in condition for allowance. During a telephone conversation conducted on April 14, 2004, Mr. Harold H. Bennett II requested an extension of time for 3 MONTH(S) and authorized the Director to charge Deposit Account No. 19-1090 the required fee of \$530.00 for this extension and authorized the following examiner's amendment. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

Cancel claims 2 and 4.

The proposed drawing correction filed on August 7, 2003 was approved.

## Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this Office action should be directed to Leonard R. Leo whose telephone number is (703) 308-2611.

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April 14, 2004